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## Application No. Applicant(s) Notification of Non-Compliant Appeal Brief AGGARWAL ET AL. 10/665,693 (37 CFR 41.37) Examiner Art Unit Gregory W. Adams 3652 -- The MAILING DATE of this communication appears on the cover sheet with the correspondence address--The Appeal Brief filed on 12 February 2007 is defective for failure to comply with one or more provisions of 37 CFR 41.37. To avoid dismissal of the appeal, applicant must file anamended brief or other appropriate correction (see MPEP 1205.03) within **ONE MONTH or THIRTY DAYS** from the mailing date of this Notification, whichever is longer. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136. The brief does not contain the items required under 37 CFR 41.37(c), or the items are not under the proper heading or in the proper order. The brief does not contain a statement of the status of all claims, (e.g., rejected, allowed, withdrawn, objected to canceled), or does not identify the appealed claims (37 CFR 41.37(c)(1)(iii)). 3. 🗌 At least one amendment has been filed subsequent to the final rejection, and the brief does not contain a statement of the status of each such amendment (37 CFR 41.37(c)(1)(iv)). 4. 🛛 (a) The brief does not contain a concise explanation of the subject matter defined in each of the independent claims involved in the appeal, referring to the specification by page and line number and to the drawings, if any by reference characters; and/or (b) the brief fails to: (1) identify, for each independent claim involved in the appeal and for each dependent claim argued separately, every means plus function and step plus function under 35 U.S.C. 112, sixth paragraph, and/or (2) set forth the structure, material, or acts described in the specification as corresponding to each claimed function with reference to the specification by page and line number, and to the drawings, if any, by reference characters (37 CFR 41.37(c)(1)(v)). 5. 🛛 The brief does not contain a concise statement of each ground of rejection presented for review (37 CFR 41.37(c)(1)(vi)) The brief does not present an argument under a separate heading for each ground of rejection on appeal (37 CFR 41.37(c)(1)(vii)). The brief does not contain a correct copy of the appealed claims as an appendix thereto (37 CFR 41.37(c)(1)(viii)). The brief does not contain copies of the evidence submitted under 37 CFR 1.130, 1.131, or 1.132 or of any other evidence entered by the examiner and relied upon by appellant in the appeal, along with a

10. Other (including any explanation in support of the above items):4)a) The Summary of Claimed Subject Matter does not comply with 37 CFR 41.37 (c)

thereto (37 CFR 41.37(c)(1)(ix)).

41.37(c)(1)(x)).

4)a) The Summary of Claimed Subject Matter does not comply with 37 CFR 41.37 (c)(1)(v) because each independent claim, e.g. claims 1, 14 & 14, are not specifically mentioned. Further, each claim must include a detailed explanation of the structure recited there and be mapped with to the particular section within the Specification where the structure can be found.

statement setting forth where in the record that evidence was entered by the examiner, as an appendix

The brief does not contain copies of the decisions rendered by a court or the Board in the proceeding identified in the Related Appeals and Interferences section of the brief as an appendix thereto (37 CFR

5) In the Grounds section "Rejection of Claims 14-23" is incorrect and should be rewritten as --Rejection of Claims 14 & 19-23--. See also 'B' on page 6 of the brief because sub-headings in the Arguments section should agree..

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